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## COVID-19 Vaccines

On August 23, the FDA announced the full approval of the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine for the prevention of COVID-19 disease in individuals age 16 and older. Read more.

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# Governor Cuomo Announces New York Ending COVID-19 State Disaster Emergency on June 24

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Statewide 7-Day Average Positivity is 0.36%—  
Record Low for 26 Consecutive Days, Has Declined  
for 79 Consecutive Days

52,526 Vaccine Doses Administered Over Last 24  
Hours

6 COVID-19 Deaths Statewide Yesterday

Governor Andrew M. Cuomo today announced that New York will end the state disaster emergency [declared on March 7, 2020 \(https://www.governor.ny.gov/news/novel-coronavirus-briefing-governor-cuomo-declares-state-emergency-contain-spread-virus\)](https://www.governor.ny.gov/news/novel-coronavirus-briefing-governor-cuomo-declares-state-emergency-contain-spread-virus) to fight COVID-19. Given New York's dramatic progress against COVID-19, with the success in vaccination rates, and declining hospitalization and positivity statewide the state of emergency will expire after Thursday, June 24.

Federal CDC guidance will remain in effect, which includes masks for unvaccinated individuals, as well as all riders on public transit and in certain settings, such as health care, nursing homes, correctional facilities, and homeless shelters. State and local government health departments will still be able to ensure mask rules and other health precautions are adhered to in those settings.

Since March of 2020, a variety of actions had been taken by executive order to assist in the rapid response to the pandemic by state agencies, local governments, hospitals, and businesses by both temporarily suspending or modifying laws as well as utilizing temporary directives. Hospitals were able to add space and staffing, meetings were authorized to occur virtually, and various deadlines were extended to accommodate a changed landscape.

"New York went from one of the worst infection rates to the lowest infection rate in the country, and it was all because of the efforts of New Yorkers who were smart, united and did what they needed to do throughout this entire pandemic," **Governor Cuomo said.** "Now we're starting to write a new chapter for a post-COVID New York--the state disaster emergency is ending and we can focus on reimagining, rebuilding and renewing our state. This doesn't mean COVID is gone, we still have to get more New Yorkers vaccinated, but we are getting back on track and starting to live life once again."

Today's data is summarized briefly below:

- **Test Results Reported** - 90,350
- **Total Positive** - 310
- **Percent Positive** - 0.34%
- **7-Day Average Percent Positive** - 0.36%
- **Patient Hospitalization** - 474 (-12)
- **Patients Newly Admitted** - 64
- **Patients in ICU** - 104 (-3)
- **Patients in ICU with Intubation** - 60 (-2)
- **Total Discharges** - 184,386 (+68)
- **Deaths** - 6
- **Total Deaths** - 42,942
- **Total vaccine doses administered** - 20,702,818
- **Total vaccine doses administered over past 24 hours** - 52,526
- **Total vaccine doses administered over past 7 days** - 406,783

- **Percent of New Yorkers ages 18 and older with at least one vaccine dose** - 68.6%
- **Percent of New Yorkers ages 18 and older with completed vaccine series** - 62.2%
- **Percent of New Yorkers ages 18 and older with at least one vaccine dose (CDC)** - 71.2%
- **Percent of New Yorkers ages 18 and older with completed vaccine series (CDC)** - 63.5%
- **Percent of all New Yorkers with at least one vaccine dose** - 56.9%
- **Percent of all New Yorkers with completed vaccine series** - 51.2%
- **Percent of all New Yorkers with at least one vaccine dose (CDC)** - 59.1%
- **Percent of all New Yorkers with completed vaccine series (CDC)** - 52.3%

Each region's 7-day average percentage of positive test results reported over the last three days is as follows:

Region	Sunday, June 20, 2021	Monday, June 21, 2021	Tuesday, June 22, 2021
Capital Region	0.42%	0.40%	0.44%
Central New York	0.40%	0.49%	0.49%
Finger Lakes	0.46%	0.46%	0.48%
Long Island	0.41%	0.40%	0.38%
Mid-Hudson	0.33%	0.34%	0.33%
Mohawk Valley	0.37%	0.33%	0.28%
New York City	0.36%	0.35%	0.35%

North Country	0.58%	0.52%	0.58%
Southern Tier	0.42%	0.40%	0.40%
Western New York	0.27%	0.27%	0.25%
Statewide	0.37%	0.36%	0.36%

Each New York City borough's 7-day average percentage of positive test results reported over the last three days is as follows:

Borough in N YC	Sunday, June 20, 2021	Monday, June 21, 2021	Tuesday, June 22, 2021
Bronx	0.40%	0.38%	0.38%
Kings	0.32%	0.31%	0.31%
New York	0.29%	0.28%	0.28%
Queens	0.37%	0.34%	0.35%
Richmond	0.60%	0.61%	0.63%

Yesterday, 310 New Yorkers tested positive for COVID-19 in New York State, bringing the total to 2,095,233. A geographic breakdown is as follows:

County	Total Positive	New Positive
Albany	24,722	3
Allegany	3,561	0
Broome	18,641	3
Cattaraugus	5,723	0
Cayuga	6,338	0
Chautauqua	8,959	0
Chemung	7,776	0
Chenango	3,507	2
Clinton	4,839	0
Columbia	4,068	0

Cortland	3,931	1
Delaware	2,388	2
Dutchess	29,493	2
Erie	89,620	3
Essex	1,593	0
Franklin	2,563	0
Fulton	4,425	1
Genesee	5,439	0
Greene	3,405	0
Hamilton	315	2
Herkimer	5,196	0
Jefferson	6,159	2

Lewis	2,811	0
Livingston	4,527	2
Madison	4,567	1
Monroe	69,090	11
Montgomery	4,254	0
Nassau	183,825	16
Niagara	20,051	1
NYC	938,747	178
Oneida	22,644	0
Onondaga	38,998	8
Ontario	7,410	2
Orange	48,365	5



Orleans	3,121	0
Oswego	7,633	1
Otsego	3,465	1
Putnam	10,623	0
Rensselaer	11,242	3
Rockland	46,986	5
Saratoga	15,398	2
Schenectady	13,213	3
Schoharie	1,694	0
Schuyler	1,081	0
Seneca	2,011	0
St. Lawrence	6,654	3

Steuben	6,961	1
Suffolk	201,261	24
Sullivan	6,686	2
Tioga	3,838	1
Tompkins	4,353	1
Ulster	13,918	1
Warren	3,668	1
Washington	3,165	1
Wayne	5,791	4
Westchester	129,757	11
Wyoming	3,585	0
Yates	1,179	0

Yesterday, 6 New Yorkers died due to COVID-19, bringing the total to 42,942. A geographic breakdown is as follows, by county of residence:

County	New Deaths
Erie	1
Monroe	1
Rockland	1
Seneca	1
Steuben	1
Westchester	1

All New York State mass vaccination sites are now open to eligible New Yorkers for walk-in vaccination on a first-come, first-serve basis. People who would prefer to schedule an appointment at a state-run mass vaccination site can do so on the [Am I Eligible App \(https://am-i-eligible.covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov/#\\_blank\)](https://am-i-eligible.covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov/#_blank) or by calling 1-833-NYS-4-VAX. People may also contact their local health department, pharmacy, doctor or hospital to schedule appointments where vaccines are available, or visit [vaccines.gov \(https://www.vaccines.gov/\)](https://www.vaccines.gov/) to find information on vaccine appointments near them.

Yesterday, 23,674 New Yorkers received their first vaccine dose, and 32,174 completed their vaccine series. A geographic breakdown of New Yorkers who have been vaccinated by region is as follows:

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	People with at least one vaccine dose		People with complete vaccine series	
Region	Cumulative Total	Increase over past 24 hours	Cumulative Total	Increase over past 24 hours
Capital Region	661610	889	608123	1397
Central New York	524373	663	483405	903
Finger Lakes	671199	877	620976	1420
Long Island	1494063	3482	1339880	6000
Mid-Hudson	1209337	2653	1081267	3971
Mohawk Valley	258795	377	238482	415
New York City	5244937	12781	4642820	14785

North Country	236127	311	219732	588
Southern Tier	343447	548	316779	626
Western New York	725844	1093	653163	2069
Statewide	11369732	23674	10204627	32174

The [COVID-19 Vaccine Tracker Dashboard \(https://covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov/covid-19-vaccine-tracker\)](https://covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov/covid-19-vaccine-tracker) is available to update New Yorkers on the distribution of the COVID-19 vaccine. The New York State Department of Health requires vaccinating facilities to report all COVID-19 vaccine administration data within 24 hours; the vaccine administration data on the dashboard is updated daily to reflect the most up-to-date metrics in the state's vaccination effort. New York State Department of Health-reported data from NYSIS and CIR differs slightly from federally-reported data, which is inclusive of federally-administered doses and other minor differences. Both numbers are included in the release above.

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